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November 8, 2010

Jeff S. Jordan  
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Federal Election Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20463

RE: MUR 6397

Dear Mr. Jordan:

Pursuant to your letter dated October 21, 2010, and the complaint enclosed therein, please except the following as a response from the Chris Gibson for Congress campaign.

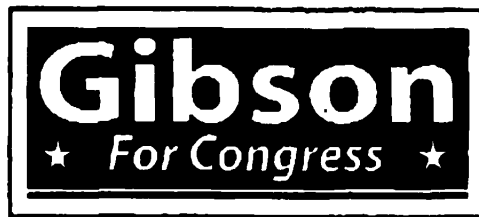
Initially, the sign referred to and depicted in Ms Kaufman's complaint was a sign indicating the presence of the campaign office located at Clifton Park, New York. The sign says simply "Gibson Campaign Office." Nowhere on the sign does it mention "Chris Gibson for Congress." As such, I do not believe that a disclaimer was or is required for same. However, in the interest of resolving this issue the sign in question has been removed and shall not be displayed again until a disclaimer has been placed on same.

With regard to the campaign literature referenced in Ms Kaufman's complaint, that which begins "About Chris Gibson," the same was handed out from the campaign office during the campaign and it would appear, regrettably, that it was initially distributed without the proper disclaimer. Respectfully, even a cursory review of this document leaves no doubt as to its origins, particularly given the fact that both the campaign website, as well as the candidate's own email address each appear on same. Nevertheless, a disclaimer was left off of the original draft. Subsequent to its initial distribution, the campaign took the necessary corrective

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action to ensure that the release of this document would comply with all applicable campaign laws. I have enclosed an amended copy of "About Chris Gibson" for your review.

Finally, it has come to my attention that certain "Bill Board" advertisement was initially displayed without the proper disclaimer having been affixed. However, I can assure the commission that once this oversight was discovered, the campaign took the necessary steps to correct this error. I have enclosed photographs of the "Bill Board" advertisements that were corrected in order to display the proper disclaimer.

It is respectfully submitted that the relatively minor errors and oversights referenced in Ms. Kaufman's complaint were swiftly and aptly rectified. On behalf of the campaign, I apologize for these errors and oversights and wish to assure the commission that the Chris Gibson for Congress campaign remains committed to following each and every provision of the election law. I remain available to all that may have any further inquiries regarding this matter. Toward that end, should you have any questions or concerns relative to this matter, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Thank you.

Chris Gibson for Congress by:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robert M. Gibson", written over a horizontal line.

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